

## Interview Summary

Application No.

10/764,739

Applicant(s)

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Examiner

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Art Unit

3714

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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(3) John Dahl.

(2) John Hotaling (Primary Examiner).

(4) Michael Blankstein.

Date of Interview: 26 July 2007.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference  
c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_.

Claim(s) discussed: 1, 19, 37.

Identification of prior art discussed: Koenig et. al. USPAT 6,729,618.

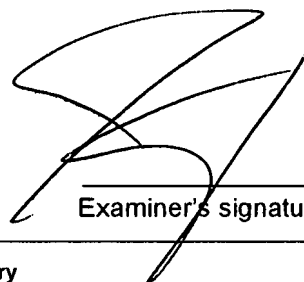
Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

JOHN M. HOTALING, II  
PRIMARY EXAMINER



Examiner's signature, if required

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Representatives discussed briefly how the claimed invention was different than the prior art of record-specifically that the claimed invention played concurrent audio tracks independent of player/operator intervention. Amendments have as of yet not been submitted. Examiner awaits amendments before any other consideration or decisions can be made. Currently, the examiner did not agree that the proposed amendments to the claims would overcome the current prior art of record. After a subsequent search the examiner will consider all applicant's arguments and amendments upon formal submission. No agreement was reached on patentability..